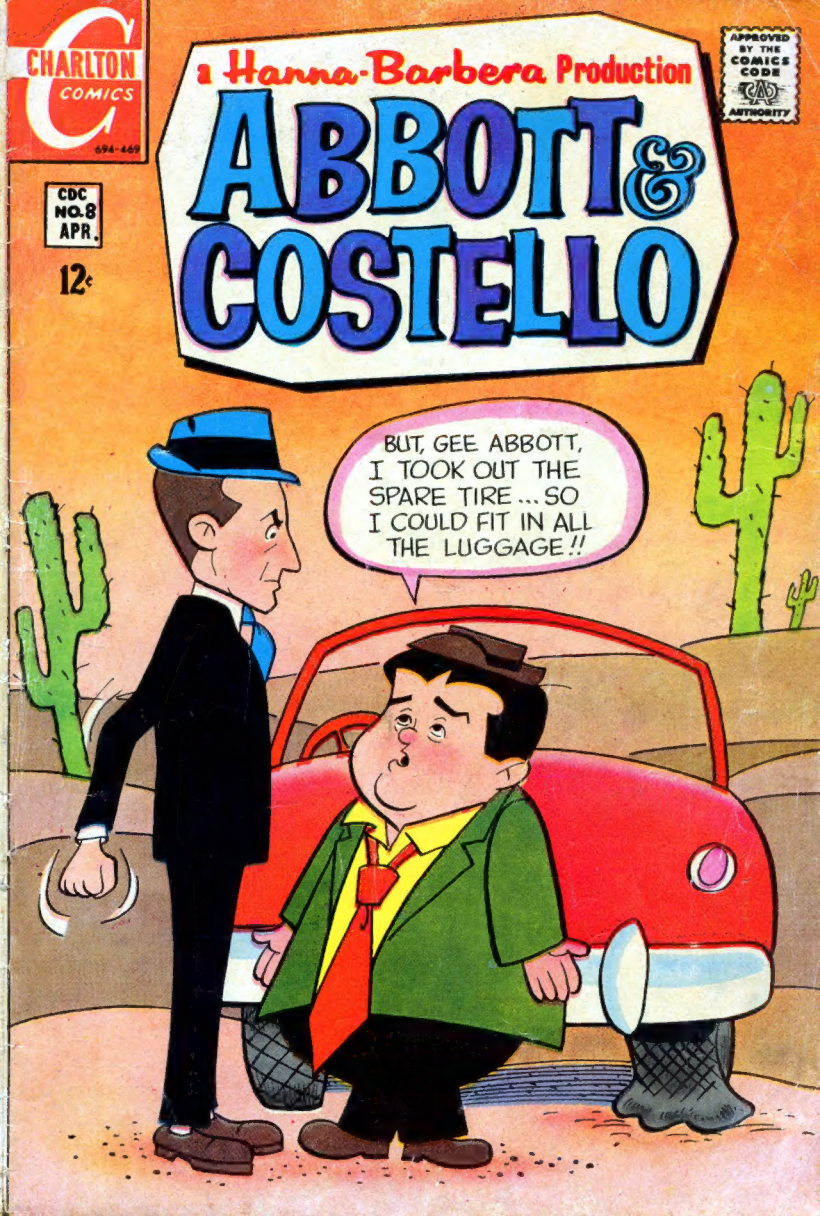
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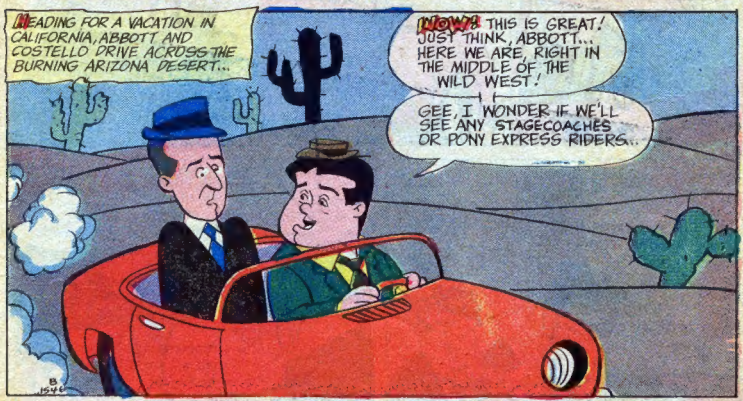
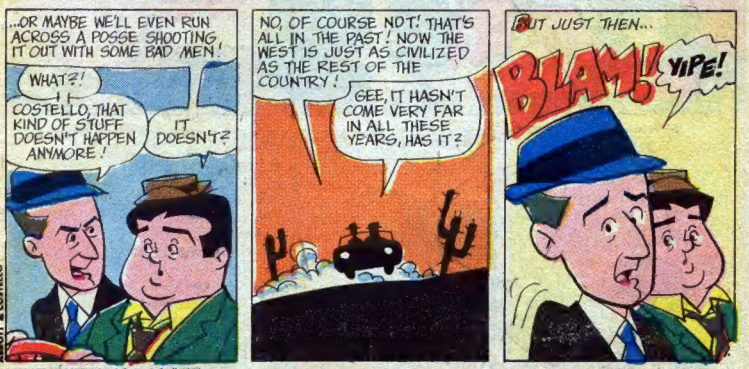

HEADING FOR A VACATION IN CALIFORNIA, ABBOTT AND COSTELLO DRIVE ACROSS THE BURNING ARIZONA DESERT...
WOW! THIS IS GREAT! JUST THINK, ABBOTT... HERE WE ARE, RIGHT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE WILD WEST!
GEE, I WONDER IF WE'LL SEE ANY STAGECOACHES OR PONY EXPRESS RIDERS...


...OR MAYBE WE'LL EVEN RUN ACROSS A POSSE SHOOTING IT OUT WITH SOME BAD MEN!
WHAT?!
COSTELLO, THAT KIND OF STUFF DOESN'T HAPPEN ANYMORE!
IT DOESN'T?
NO, OF COURSE NOT! THAT'S ALL IN THE PAST! NOW THE WEST IS JUST AS CIVILIZED AS THE REST OF THE COUNTRY!
GEE, IT HASN'T COME VERY FAR IN ALL THESE YEARS, HAS IT?
BUT JUST THEN...
BLAM!
YIPE!

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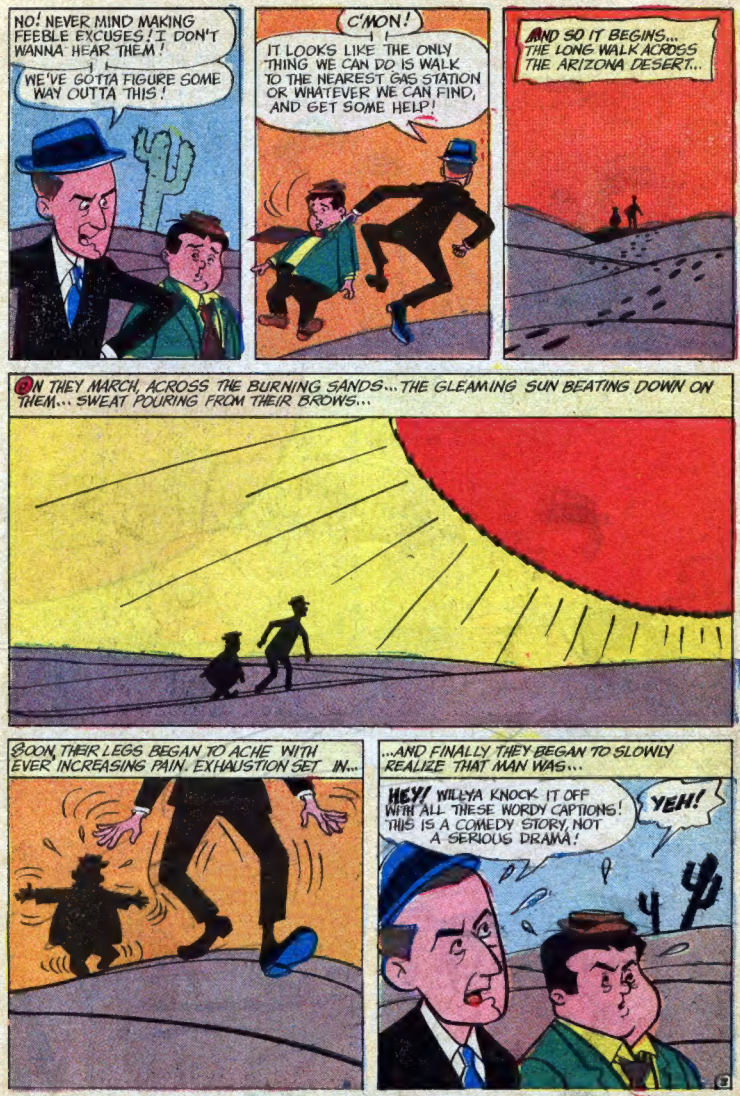
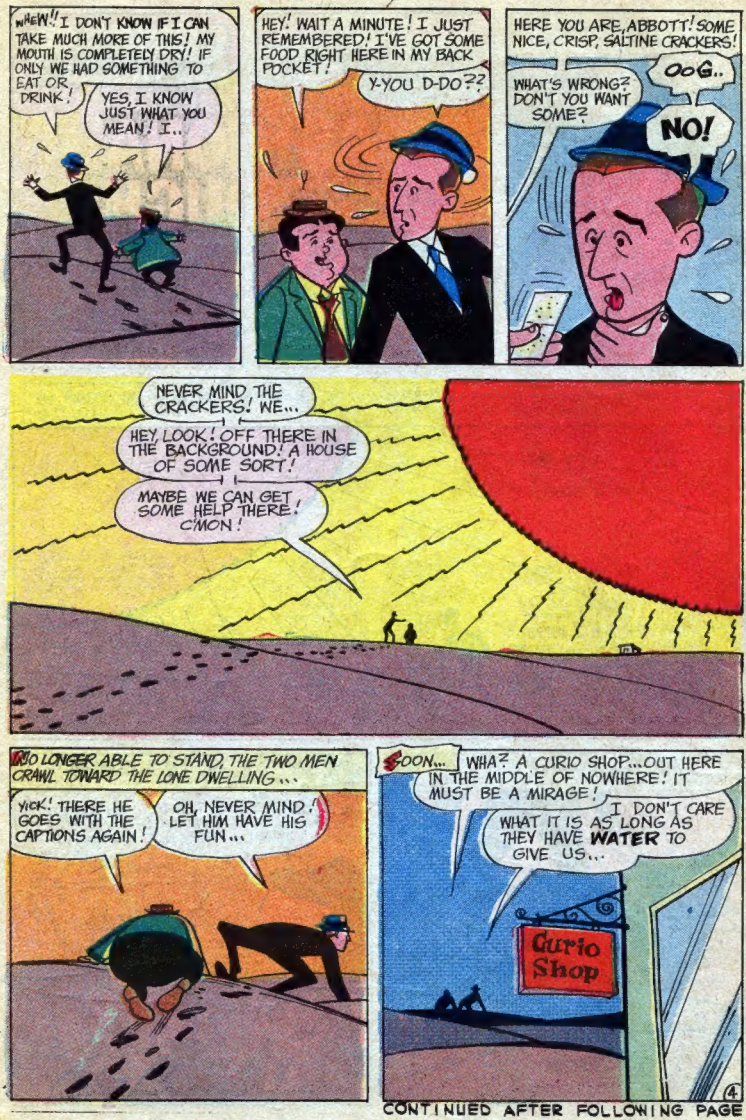
COSTELLO... STOP THE CAR! SOMEBODY'S SHOOTING AT US!
WHA?
BUT, ABBOTT!!
MUST BE AN OUTLAW, TRYING TO HOLD US UP!
QUICK! GET DOWN! DON'T LET HIM GET ANOTHER SHOT AT US!
BUT, GEE, ABBOTT...
C'MON! WE'RE GONNA SLIP OUTTA THE CAR AND SNEAK AROUND TO THE BACK! SEE IF WE CAN HEAD HIM OFF!
BUT... BUT, ABBOTT, I....
THERE! NOW, DO YOU SEE ANY SIGN OF HIM?
BUT, ABBOTT, I'VE BEEN TRYING TO TELL YOU... THAT WASN'T A GUN-SHOT! IT WAS A BLOW-OUT!
A BLOWOUT?
YES! SEE... IT'S THE RIGHT REAR TIRE! WE MUSTA RUN OVER A NAIL OR SOMETHING!
OH (HEH, HEH) A BLOWOUT! YEH, THAT'S (HEH, HEH) JUST WHAT I THOUGHT IT WAS!
WELL, WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR? GET OUT THE SPARE TIRE!
BUT, GEE, ABBOTT, I ALREADY TOOK OUT THE SPARE TIRE... SO I COULD FIT IN ALL THAT LUGGAGE YOU WANTED ME TO PACK!
WHAT?
YOU... YOU MEAN WE HAVEN'T GOT ANY SPARE TIRE WITH US?
YES, TH- THAT'S WHAT I MEAN!
HOOO-BOY! THIS IS A FINE MESS! HERE WE ARE, IN THE MIDDLE OF THE DESERT, NO-BODY AROUND FOR MILES AND NOW WE CAN'T FIX THE CAR! HOW COULD YOU GET US INTO SUCH A MESS??
BUT...


NO! NEVER MIND MAKING FEEBLE EXCUSES! I DON'T WANNA HEAR THEM!
WE'VE GOTTA FIGURE SOME WAY OUTTA THIS!
C'MON!
IT LOOKS LIKE THE ONLY THING WE CAN DO IS WALK TO THE NEAREST GAS STATION OR WHATEVER WE CAN FIND, AND GET SOME HELP!
AND SO IT BEGINS... THE LONG WALK ACROSS THE ARIZONA DESERT...
ON THEY MARCH, ACROSS THE BURNING SANDS... THE GLEAMING SUN BEATING DOWN ON THEM... SWEAT POURING FROM THEIR BROWS...
SOON, THEIR LEGS BEGAN TO ACHE WITH EVER INCREASING PAIN. EXHAUSTION SET IN...
...AND FINALLY THEY BEGAN TO SLOWLY REALIZE THAT MAN WAS...
HEY! WILLYA KNOCK IT OFF WITH ALL THESE WORDY CAPTIONS! THIS IS A COMEDY STORY, NOT A SERIOUS DRAMA!
YEH!


WHEW!! I DON'T KNOW IF I CAN TAKE MUCH MORE OF THIS! MY MOUTH IS COMPLETELY DRY! IF ONLY WE HAD SOMETHING TO EAT OR DRINK!
YES, I KNOW JUST WHAT YOU MEAN! I...
HEY! WAIT A MINUTE! I JUST REMEMBERED! I'VE GOT SOME FOOD RIGHT HERE IN MY BACK POCKET!
Y-YOU D-DO?!
HERE YOU ARE, ABBOTT! SOME NICE, CRISP, SALTINE CRACKERS!
WHAT'S WRONG? DON'T YOU WANT SOME?
OOG..
NO!
NEVER MIND THE CRACKERS! WE...
HEY, LOOK! OFF THERE IN THE BACKGROUND! A HOUSE OF SOME SORT!
MAYBE WE CAN GET SOME HELP THERE! C'MON!
NO LONGER ABLE TO STAND, THE TWO MEN CRAWL TOWARD THE LONE DWELLING...
YICK! THERE HE GOES WITH THE CAPTIONS AGAIN!
OH, NEVER MIND! LET HIM HAVE HIS FUN...
SOON...
WHA? A CURIO SHOP...OUT HERE IN THE MIDDLE OF NOWHERE! IT MUST BE A MIRAGE!
I DON'T CARE WHAT IT IS AS LONG AS THEY HAVE WATER TO GIVE US...
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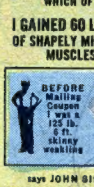

says JOHN GILL

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YES?
OH...GOOD-AFTERNOON, FOLKS! HOW ARE YOU?
IS THERE SOMETHING I CAN DO FOR YOU?
YES!... FOOD... FOOD AND WATER .... PLEASE!
OH, I'M SORRY, SIR. YOU MUST HAVE THE WRONG PLACE! THIS IS A CURIO PLACE NOT A RESTAURANT.
BUT MAYBE I COULD INTEREST YOU IN SOME NICE INDIAN BRACELETS?
NO, NO! YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND! WE'RE STARVING... DYING OF THIRST.... WE JUST WALKED ALL THE WAY ACROSS THE DESERT...
THAT'S TOO BAD! YOU CAME ALL THIS WAY, ONLY TO END UP AT THE WRONG PLACE...
BUT THERE'S A NICE RESTAURANT ABOUT 4 OR 5 MILES FROM HERE! YOU COULD GO THERE!
AND NOW IF YOU'LL EXCUSE ME, I...
WAIT! PLEASE! COULDN'T YOU AT LEAST GIVE US A GLASS OF WATER?
GLASS OF WATER? WHY YES!
I'LL BE RIGHT OUT WITH IT!
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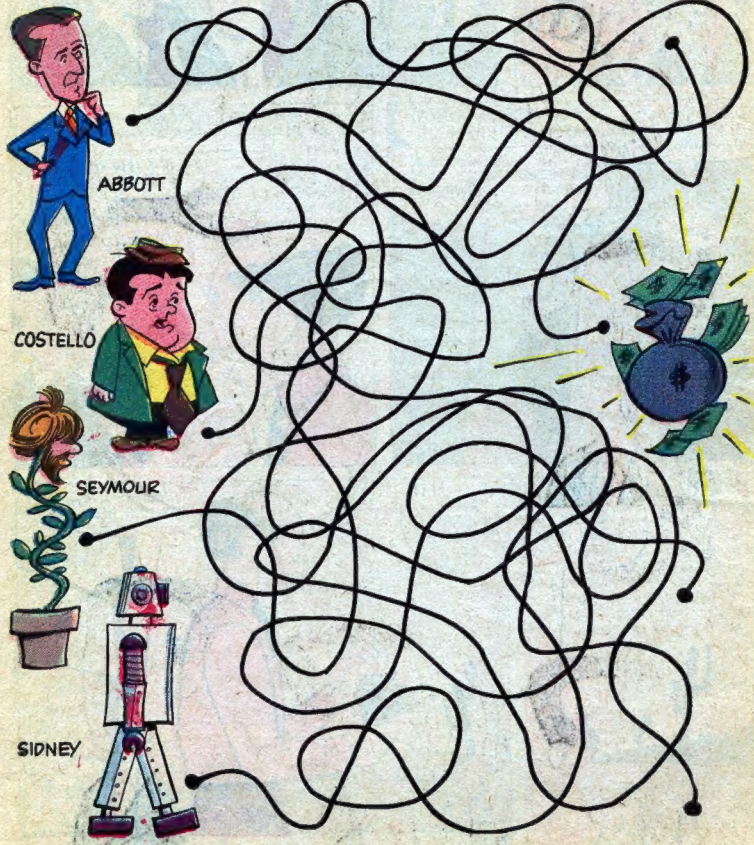
HERE YOU ARE! A GLASS OF WATER!
THANK YOU... THANK YOU!
GULP, GULP!
GULB! DRINK! GULP!
AHH, THAT SURE WAS REFRESHING!
OH, BY THE WAY, I WAS WONDERING... WHY IS IT YOU HAVE A CURIO SHOP WAY OUT HERE IN THE MIDDLE OF NOWHERE!?
IT'S GOOD FOR BUSINESS! THERE'S NO COMPETITION ANYWHERES AROUND HERE!
HUH?
YESSIR, NO COMPETITION! AND THAT MEANS THAT I CAN (HEH-HEH) CHARGE ANY PRICE I WANT!
NOW AS FOR THOSE 2 GLASSES OF WATER HEH-HEH-HEH!
UH-OH!
ULP!
SHORTLY...
COSTELLO, I TAKE IT ALL BACK! THE WEST HASN'T CHANGED A BIT! THERE'S STILL A LOT OF HIGHWAY ROBBERY GOING ON!
...HEH, HEH, HEH, HEH, HEH!!
THE END

ABBOTT & COSTELLO Puzzle Page

OUR BOYS AND A COUPLE OF THEIR FRIENDS ARE LOOKING FOR SOME LOST LOOT! AS YOU CAN SEE, WE'VE PUT DOWN THE PATHS THEY'RE GONNA FOLLOW! NOW, ALL **YOU** HAVE TO FIND OUT IS... WHO'S GONNA FIND THE LOOT?



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JUST A MOMENT, SIR!
OPERATOR, COULD I PLEASE HAVE THE NUMBER OF MR. JONATHAN ADLER?
I'M SORRY, SIR, BUT THAT IS AN UNLISTED NUMBER. I AM NOT ALLOWED TO GIVE THAT NUMBER OUT!
BUT, OPERATOR! THIS IS AN EMERGENCY! I MUST SPEAK TO HIM!
I'M SORRY SIR, BUT RULES ARE RULES!
NOW, LISTEN HERE, OPERATOR...
YOU HAVE NO RIGHT TO...
SIR, YOU'RE WASTING YOUR TIME! YOU'LL NEVER GET ANYWHERE ARGUING WITH ME!
OH YEAH? WHY'S THAT?
BECAUSE THIS IS A RECORDING!

YES?
HELLO! IS THIS THE OPERATOR?
YES, IT IS!
YOU'RE NOT A RECORDING, ARE YOU?
NO, I'M NOT!
GOOD! NOW, LISTEN...
I'VE BEEN TRYING TO CALL A MR. JONATHAN ADLER, BUT I DON'T HAVE HIS PHONE NUMBER. AND I CAN'T LOOK HIS NUMBER UP BECAUSE HE HAS AN UNLISTED NUMBER!
SO, I WAS WONDERING... CAN YOU GIVE ME HIS NUMBER?
NO! I'M NOT ALLOWED TO GIVE OUT SUCH INFORMATION.
WELL, IS THERE SOMEONE WHO IS ALLOWED!?
NOT THAT I KNOW OF! BUT YOU COULD TALK TO MY SUPERIOR!
OKAY, HOW DO I GET IN TOUCH WITH HER?
WELL, IT'S A RATHER INVOLVED PROCESS, SO I'D BETTER GIVE YOU STEP BY STEP DIRECTIONS!
RIGHT!
NOW, DO EXACTLY AS I TELL YOU!
FIRST HANG UP YOUR PHONE!
OKAY...
AND NOW WHA...
WHAT!!!
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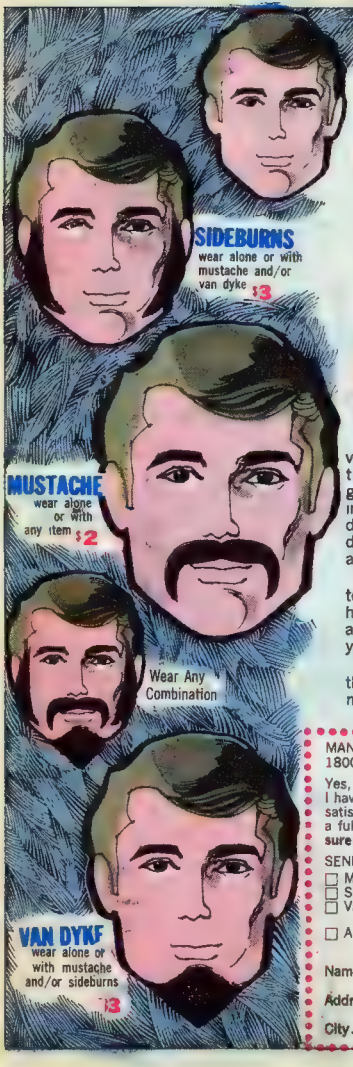
RING!
RING
HELLO?
HELP! I'M BEING HELD PRISONER IN A PHONE BOOTH!!
VER-RY FUNNY!
BUT YOU'D BETTER NOT CALL ME AGAIN, WHOEVER YOU ARE...OR ELSE I'LL REPORT YOU TO THE OPERATOR!
BUT THIS IS THE OPERATOR!
AND IT IS TRUE! I AM BEING HELD PRISONER IN A PHONE BOOTH!
HMMMM...
SERVES YOU RIGHT!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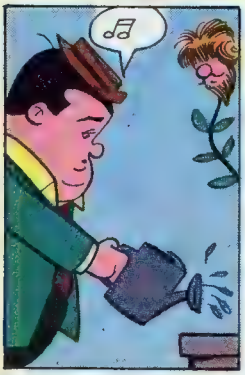

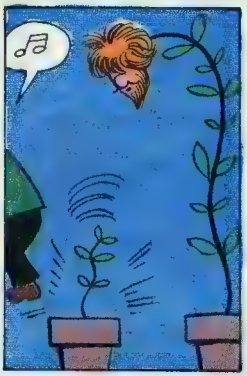

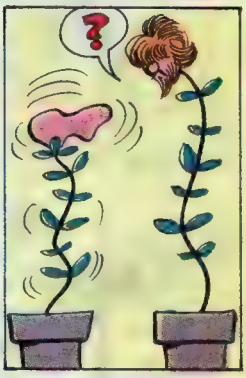

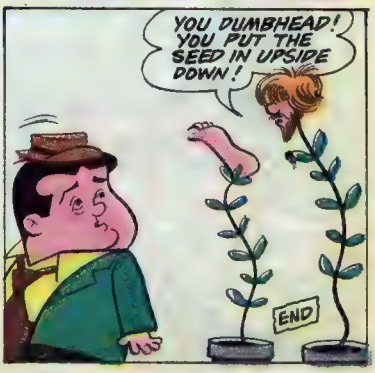

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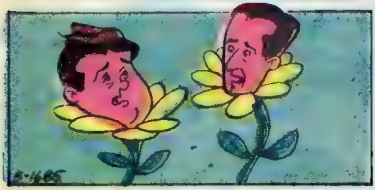

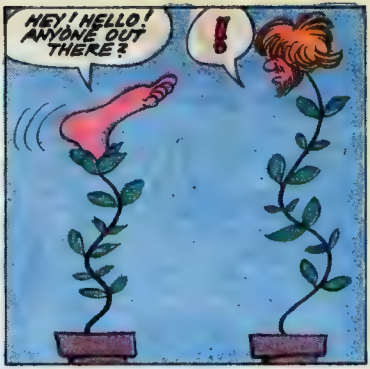

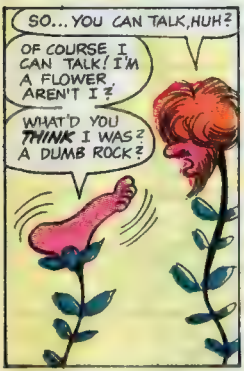

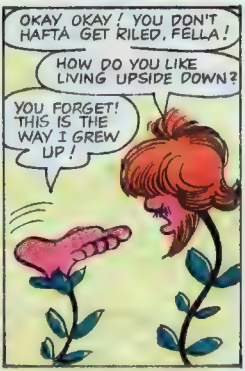

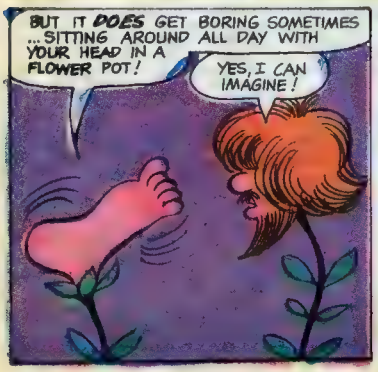

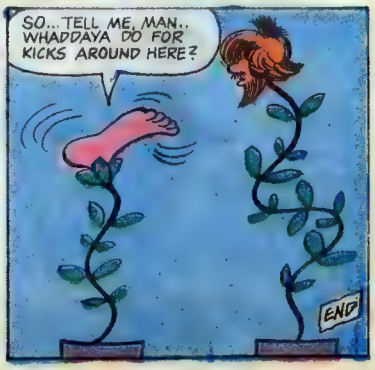

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THE OLD GAG GAME... THIS IS A GAME FOR TWO PLAYERS AND THREE COINS, TWO FOR MARKERS AND ONE TO FLIP HEADS... MOVE AHEAD ONE SPACE. TAILS... TWO SPACES. IF YOU LAND ON A RIDDLE SQUARE YOU MUST TRY TO ANSWER THE RIDDLE. IF YOU CAN, MOVE AHEAD THREE SPACES. IF YOU CAN'T, MOVE **BACK** THREE. THE FIRST PLAYER TO REACH FAME AS A STAND-UP COMIC IS THE WINNER.

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3 WHY DID THE CHICKEN CROSS THE ROAD?

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5 WHAT HAS FOUR WHEELS AND FLIES?

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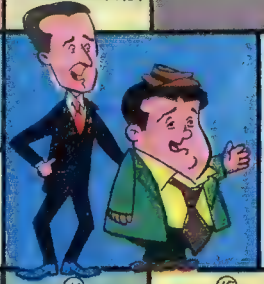

HERE ARE THE STATIONS WE APPEAR ON. CHECK YOUR T.V. STATIONS FOR THE TIME.

WOR TV	NEW YORK
KHJ TV	LOS ANGELES
WGN TV	CHICAGO
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CKLW TV	DETROIT
WJW TV	CLEVELAND
WHCT TV	HARTFORD
WHBQ TV	MEMPHIS
KBHK TV	SAN FRANCISCO
KOVR TV	SACRAMENTO
KHBV TV	LAS VEGAS
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KMEC TV	DALLAS

12 WHAT'S BLACK AND WHITE AND RED ALL OVER?

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15 WHY DID THE MORON THROW THE CLOCK OUT OF THE WINDOW?

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SUCCESS AS A STAND-UP COMIC!

MISSION ACCOMPLISHED

Some call it the game of Ping-Pong and others just call it Table Tennis. For little kids and the oldsters it can be a nice slow enjoyable game. For the teen-agers and others, it can be a most furious game played at a terrific pace. And if you are a spectator at a champion game, you will see shots that look almost unbelievable. Someday some genius of a sport reporter will conduct an interview with a ping-pong racket:

"What have you got to say?"

"Just now I need some First-Aid. That player gripped me so tight by my handle I can hardly catch my breath. Another thing, while they are passing bills in Congress. How about Social Security for us? We have to retire at an early age. And then another young ping-pong racket takes our place. No gratitude in this world. When we are through, they give us to the children. And those kids use us to bang around old tired tennis balls."

Before I go with my wife to a summer hotel, I want to be certain of at least two things on the premises: A good outdoor pool and ping-pong. Having checked that out, we went to Hotel Flagler. Never in my wildest imagination, did I anticipate the results of what happened when I played there in a Ping-Pong Tournament on a delightful July day!

My first competitor was a cinch to overcome. I just drove the ball to one edge of the table, then he came to the other edge to be ready for the next shot. But I fooled him, and drove the ball to the side where he wasn't. My second competitor was good. He was a hard-hitter and the score was never off by more than a point or two. Came the chance to make a terrific smashing shot — and I took it. The ball bounded off the table, missed the pool, and went through the wire netting — onto the ground. And then something almost fantastic happened. A chipmunk grabbed that ping-pong ball and ran away with it!

Figuring the value of the ping-pong ball to be under $50.00, then according to Section 34, subdivision 8, as amended by the law of 1965 with the additional amendment of 1968, this would be a case of petty larceny. Unfortunately, you would have to present intent on the part of the chipmunk, so I guess that would not then apply Now to continue the game

"Another ping-pong ball, please," said my competitor to the young man in charge of the tournament.

He went to the refreshment stand and his face seemed a bit red.

"That was the last ping-pong ball here in the box. Take a break of ten minutes and I'll get some more."

A youngster of about ten years or so came up to me with some news.

"I saw Chippy the Chipmunk take your ping-pong ball. He does that all the time. Maybe you know why? What's the mystery?"

I thought of sending a radio message to Sherlock Holmes and asking him to take the first Jet to the Flagler Hotel. By then I realized that the nearest airport would not handle a plane that could carry 346 and 1/2 passengers. While meditating on the next step to take, I got a brainstorm.

"Maybe the chipmunk has a friend who is a squirrel. So he takes these ping-pong balls thinking they are something to eat He gives them to the squirrel who then hides them for the cold winter "

"You are right!" shouted that boy. "He has a friend whom we call Squarro the Squirrel. Oh, we must help them The tournament had to wait. Soon we had organized groups of boys looking for clues. And it was a nine year old boy who found the cache of dirty looking ping-pong balls.

"What do we do now?' asked my competitor in the game.

"Leave them all here," I suggested. "But we must look ahead. So we get peanuts and other shelled nuts. Place them right next to the ping-pong balls. When winter comes and Squarro the Squirrel finds that he can't eat those ping-pong balls, he will have food."

"But why not take away the ping-pong balls now?" suggested an old lady who had watched the procedures.

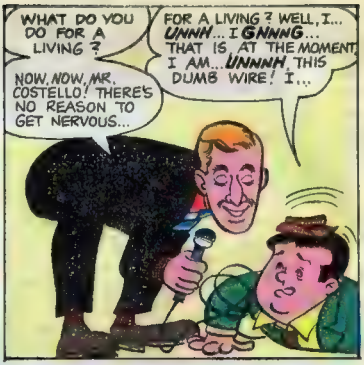
"Because according to Professor Shiedermeister, it might upset the personality of the squirrel," I replied gently. "That poor creature might have an inferiority complex coupled with a sense of failure "

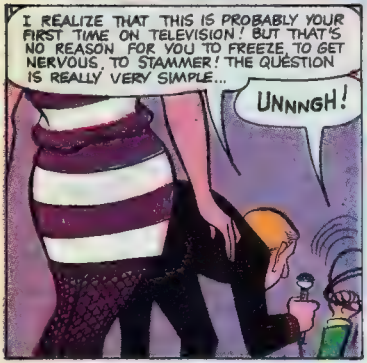
'Three cheers,' shouted one of the kids "Mission accomplished "

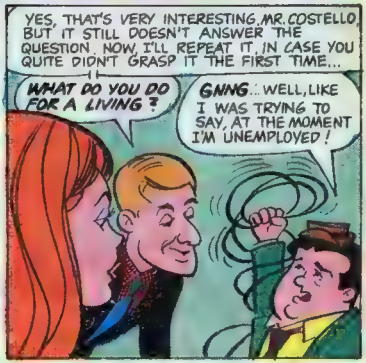
ABBOTT & COSTELLO

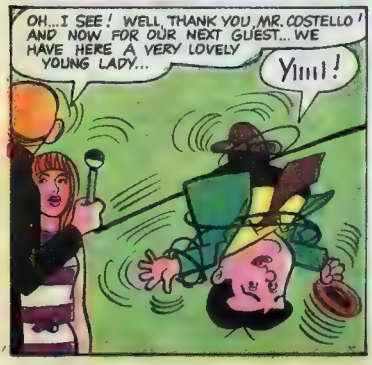
GOOD AFTERNOON, FOLKS! THIS IS YOUR ROVING, INQUIRING, T.V. REPORTER, WARREN SAVIN, SPEAKING TO YOU FROM THE CORNER OF HEIGHT STREET AND ABSURDITY AVENUE! THIS AFTERNOON'S HIGHLY CONTROVERSIAL QUESTION IS: WHAT DO YOU DO FOR A LIVING? AND..
HEIGHT
ABSURDITY
AH, HERE COMES A GENTLEMAN, NOW!
WILD-MANNERED REPORTER
EXCUSE ME, SIR! MY NAME IS WARREN SAVIN, THE FAMOUS T.V. PERSONALITY!
OOP! I TRIPPED!
YES, I SEE! THAT'S VERY INTERESTING, SIR! NOW, I WAS WONDERING IF YOU COULD GIVE THE TELEVIEWING PUBLIC YOUR NAME!
I'M LOU COSTELLO!
WHAT'S THIS STUPID WIRE DOING OUT HERE IN THE MIDDLE OF THE SIDEWALK?

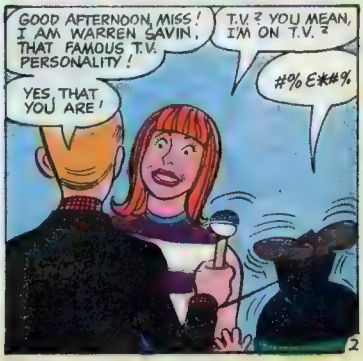
UH...COULD YOU GIVE ME A HAND! I SEEM TO BE ALL TANGLED UP IN THIS STUPID WIRE!
YES, SO I SEE! THAT'S VERY INTERESTING, MR. COSTELLO! AND NOW THE BIG QUESTION THAT'S ON EVERYONE'S LIPS...


WHAT DO YOU DO FOR A LIVING?
FOR A LIVING? WELL, I... UNNH... I GNNNG... THAT IS, AT THE MOMENT I AM... UNNNH, THIS DUMB WIRE! I...
NOW, NOW, MR. COSTELLO! THERE'S NO REASON TO GET NERVOUS...


I REALIZE THAT THIS IS PROBABLY YOUR FIRST TIME ON TELEVISION! BUT THAT'S NO REASON FOR YOU TO FREEZE, TO GET NERVOUS, TO STAMMER! THE QUESTION IS REALLY VERY SIMPLE...
UNNNGH!


YES, THAT'S VERY INTERESTING, MR. COSTELLO, BUT IT STILL DOESN'T ANSWER THE QUESTION. NOW, I'LL REPEAT IT, IN CASE YOU QUITE DIDN'T GRASP IT THE FIRST TIME...
WHAT DO YOU DO FOR A LIVING?
GNNG... WELL, LIKE I WAS TRYING TO SAY, AT THE MOMENT I'M UNEMPLOYED!


OH...I SEE! WELL, THANK YOU, MR. COSTELLO! AND NOW FOR OUR NEXT GUEST... WE HAVE HERE A VERY LOVELY YOUNG LADY...
Yiii!


GOOD AFTERNOON, MISS! I AM WARREN SAVIN, THAT FAMOUS T.V. PERSONALITY!
T.V.? YOU MEAN, I'M ON T.V.?
YES, THAT YOU ARE!
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GEE... I'VE NEVER BEEN ON T.V.! JUST IMAGINE ...LITTLE OL' ME... ON T.V. GEE WHIZ, THIS IS THE GREATEST THRILL OF MY LIFE!
NOT AT ALL!
YES, THAT'S VERY INTERESTING, NOW...
HEY, LADY WOULD YOU MIND GIVING ME A HAND?
CLAP
CLAP
ANYWAY, TO GET BACK TO THE PROGRAM... MISS, I WAS WONDERING IF YOU WOULD GIVE ME YOUR HAND... ER, YOUR NAME!
NOT AT ALL! I'M GLORIA OSKY!
HMMPH! HOW MANY TIMES IS THIS CRUMMY AUTHOR GONNA USE THAT LOUSY GIVE-ME-A-HAND JOKE!
WELL, MISS, OSKY, NOW FOR THE QUESTION THAT'S ON EVERYONE'S LIPS...
COSTELLO, WHAT ARE YOU DOING??
OH, HI, ABBOTT!
WHAT DO YOU DO FOR A...
SIR, WOULD YOU MIND BEING A LITTLE QUIET! WE'RE ON THE AIR! THIS IS A T.V. PROGRAM!
T.V. PROGRAM?
YES, I'M INTERVIEWING THIS YOUNG LADY HERE! I'LL GET TO YOU IN A MOMENT!
NOW, MISS, TO GET BACK TO THAT THING THAT'S ON EVERYONE'S LIPS...
WHAT DO YOU DO FOR A LIVING??
Yhu!
EEEYOW

WELL, SOMETIMES I WORK AS A PART TIME STENOGRAPHER, BUT MOST OF THE TIME...
I SEE! WELL, THAT'S VERY INTERESTING, MISS...
BUT...
AND NOW, TO GET BACK TO YOU, SIR!
OOF
OOMPH
BUT, SIR, I...
NOW, WHAT IS YOUR NAME, AND...
WHAT DO YOU DO FOR A LIVING??
BUD ABBOTT, AND I AM UNEMPLOYED! NOW, WILL SOMEONE GIVE ME A HAND: I'M STUCK!
I SEE! SO... YOU'RE BOTH UNEMPLOYED!
YES, BUT WE'RE BOTH ON OUR WAY TO GET A JOB INTERVIEW!
COSTELLO, SHUT UP! AND HELP ME OUTTA HERE ...OR WE'LL BE LATE FOR THE INTERVIEW!
CLAP
CLAP
CLAP
I SEE! AND WHAT KIND OF JOB INTERVIEW IS THAT?
COMPUTER PROGRAMMERS! HERE... IT TELLS ALL ABOUT IT ON THE BACK OF A MATCH PACK!
LADY, YOU CAN STOP CLAPPING! THAT JOKE WAS BAD ENOUGH THE FIRST TIME!
COSTELLO, GIVE ME A HAND!
CLAP
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CLAP
THANK YOU! NOW, LET'S SEE, FOLKS...
AH, HERE IT IS!
COSTELLO!!
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SIR... WOULD YOU MIND IF I CUT OUT THIS COUPON!
NO! G'WAN RIGHT AHEAD! I JUST HAPPEN TO HAVE A PAIR OF SCISSORS HERE IN MY BACK POCKET.
WELL, WHAT A FORTUNATE COINCIDENCE!
SCISSORS IN BACK POCKET??
THANK YOU!
WHA...?
HERE YOU ARE!
GIVE ME THOSE SCISSORS!
WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING, MISTER! YOU CAN'T...
SNIP SNIP CUT CUT SNIP SNIP
MR. SAVIN... LIKE I WAS SAYING! I'M A PART TIME STENO, BUT MOSTLY, I...
AH, KNOCK IT OFF, LADY! CAN'T YOU SEE WE'VE BEEN CUT OFF!
BUT, ABBOTT DID YOU HAVE TO .. THAT IS, DON'T YOU THINK YOU OUGHTTA WELL... UH.
C'MON, COSTELLO... BEFORE WE END UP BEING LATE FOR THAT INTERVIEW!
THE END
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MAZE PAGE

OUR BOYS HAVE JUST TIME-TRAVELED BACK TO THE DAYS OF KNIGHTS, FAIR DAMSELS, ETC. IN FACT, RIGHT NOW THEY'RE ON THEIR WAY TO RESCUE A FAIR DAMSEL WHO HAS BEEN LOCKED IN A HIGH, STONEY TOWER! ALL **YOU** HAVE TO DO IS PUT OUR BOYS ON THE RIGHT PATH! BUT WATCH YOUR STEP. BE SURE YOU DON'T LEAD THEM INTO THE DOMAIN OF THAT HIDEOUS, FIRE-BREATHING DRAGON...OVER THERE!

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HANSEL & GESUNDHEIT

AS IT WAS WHEN WE LEFT THEM LAST ISH: -- IN THE GINGER-BREAD HOUSE THAT THEY FOUND IN THE FOREST (WHICH TURNED OUT TO BE A SHAM), LITTLE HANSEL & GESUNDHEIT ARE FACED WITH A PROBLEM, AND WITH A WICKED OLD HAG!

HA HA HA HA-A!

YOU COUPLE OF NUMBSKULL KIDS! ..THOSE PARTY HATS YOU PUT ON WEREN'T PARTY HATS AT ALL! -- THEY WERE TRANSFORMATION HELMETS!

AND EVEN NOW YOU TWO ARE BEING TRANS-FORMED INTO NICE, CUDDLY LITTLE SHEEP!

THAT'S PREPOSTERDUS! YOU'RE MAKING IT UP AS YOU GO ALONG! YOU CAN'T CHANGE PEOPLE INTO SHEEP! ..IT'S AGAINST THE LAW!!!

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--AND IF YOU TRY TO CUDDLE ME, YOU HAGGY OL' BAG, I'LL HIT YOU WITH MY HOOF!

...HOOF?

WHERE'D I GET THIS HOOF? I DIDN'T HAVE ONE WHEN I CAME IN HERE!

THERE! SEE? SEE? YOU DIDN'T BELIEVE ME! YOU DOUBTED MY GENIUS! YOU DIDN'T THINK I COULD DO IT! WELL, THERE'S YOUR PROOF!

OH YEH? WELL, ONE HOOF DOES NOT A LAMB MAKE!

SUDDENLY!
HANSEL! WHAT'S HAPPENING TO ME? I'VE GOT THIS STRANGE TINGLING SENSATION... FROM THE TIP OF MY HEAD TO THE TOP OF MY TOES!
COULD IT BE... LOVE?
GESUNDHEIT... I'VE GOT IT, TOO! IT FEELS LIKE SOMEONE'S STICKING A THOUSAND LITTLE PINS INTO ME!
HANSEL? DO YOU THINK IT COULD BE? COULD SOMEONE BE STICKING LITTLE PINS INTO US BY THE THOUSANDS?
FOR THE BETTER?
GESUNDHEIT! WE-- WE'RE CHANGING!
I DON'T KNOW!
HANSEL, YOU'VE BECOME A SHEEP!
EWE, TOO!--
AH, SUCCESS-- AT LAST, SUCCESS!!!
AFTER ALL THOSE FAILURES! AFTER ALL THOSE OTHER CHILDREN I TRIED TO CHANGE INTO SHEEP! AND THEY WOULDN'T CHANGE INTO SHEEP!
THEY BECAME DUCKS, FROGS, AND COWS EVERYTHING BUT SHEEP!
...BUT NOW AT LONG LAST, I HAVE MY SHEEP! AND THUS I CAN CARRY OUT THE FINAL STEP OF MY EXPERIMENT...
...THE MOST IMPORTANT STEP OF MY EXPERIMENT!
...AND I CALL THAT STEP--
LAMB STEW!
MMMM! I'VE JUST BEEN DYING FOR SOME GOOD OL' HOT, DELICIOUS, TASTY FILLING LAMB STEW!
DROOL DROOL DROOL!
WELL, YOU MAY BE DYING FOR LAMB STEW, BUT WE AIN'T! C'MON, HANSEL! LET'S TAKE IT ON THE LAM!
HEY, I MADE A LITTLE JOKE THERE!
LISTEN, THIS IS NO TIME FOR HUMOR! - AS IF ANYBODY W'D CONSIDER THAT JOKE HUMOROUS! C'MON, MOVE YOUR TAIL!

HANSEL & GRETEL RUSH TO THE NEAREST DOOR AND BUTT THEIR LITTLE HEADS AGAINST IT, UNTIL AT LAST THE DOOR GIVES WAY...

BAM!

BAM!

AND THUS THE TWO KIDS TUMBLE HEADLONG DOWN INTO A BASEMENT...

AAA

WHERE THEY FIND--

MOO!

CROAK!

QUACK!

?

?

THOSE ARE ALL THE OTHER UNFORTUNATE CHILDREN WHAT THE HAG TURNT INTO ANIMALS!!

-THIS IS ALL YOUR FAULT! DO YOU REALIZE THAT? WE WOULDN'T BE HERE IF IT WEREN'T FOR YOU -- YOU HAD TO EAT ALL OF THE BREAD CRUMBS I WAS MAKING A TRAIL OUT OF... YOU HAD TO EAT THE SHUTTERS OFF THIS GINGERBREAD HOUSE, EVEN THO THEY WERE MADE OF WOOD!

YOU KNOW WHAT YOU ARE? YOU'RE A GLUTTON IS WHAT YOU ARE!

I AM NOT! I JUST GET HUNGRY EVERY ONCE IN A WHILE, THAT'S ALL!

BY THE WAY, YOU GOT ANY MORE OF THEM BREAD CRUMBS

MMMM, THEM WAS GOOD BREAD-CRUMBS!

YOU BIG GLUTTON! I OUGHT TO--

HEY!

COOL IT, MAN--ER--SHEEP! ...THERE'S NOTHING TO BE UPSET ABOUT! WE'RE BREAKING OUTTA HERE TONIGHT! AND YOU TWO CAN COME WITH US!

YOU CAN TALK!

WHY NOT? --YOU CAN!

HOW ABOUT THAT--A TALKING COW! AMAZING!!!

LISTEN... WE'RE GOING OVER THE WALL TONITE!

WHAT WALL?

THAT'S JUST AN EXPRESSION. ACTUALLY, WE DUG A TUNNEL OUTTA HERE! AND ONCE WE GET OUTTA THIS HOUSE, ALL WE GOTTA DO IS GET OUTTA THE FOREST, AND WE'LL BE FREE, MAN!

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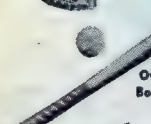

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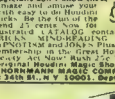

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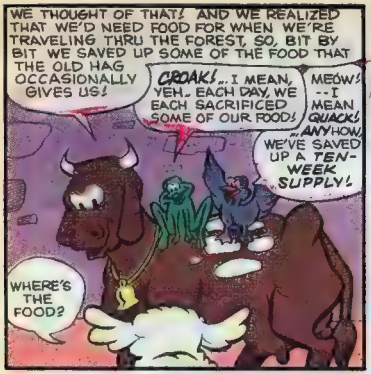
WE THOUGHT OF THAT! AND WE REALIZED THAT WE'D NEED FOOD FOR WHEN WE'RE TRAVELING THRU THE FOREST, SO, BIT BY BIT WE SAVED UP SOME OF THE FOOD THAT THE OLD HAG OCCASIONALLY GIVES US!
CROAK!.. I MEAN, YEH.. EACH DAY, WE EACH SACRIFICED SOME OF OUR FOOD!
MEOW! --I MEAN QUACK! ..ANYHOW, WE'VE SAVED UP A TEN-WEEK SUPPLY!
WHERE'S THE FOOD?

IT'S RIGHT OVER TH—
URP!
EGAD!
OH, NO!

YOU LOUSY GLUTTON!
I'M NOT A GLUTTON! I JUST GET HUNGRY SOMETIMES, THAT'S ALL! —OOCH!
WAIT! LISTEN! THERE'S SOME SORT OF SCUFFLE GOING ON UPSTAIRS! GH!

SUDDENLY, A FIGURE APPEARS IN THE DOORWAY!
HELLO DOWN THERE CHILDREN WHO HAVE BEEN CHANGED INTO ANIMALS! I AM A GOOD MAGICIAN, AND I JUST BEAT UP THE OLD HAG!
MAN, WAS SHE TOUGH FOR AN OLD LADY!
AND NOW I'M GOING TO SAVE YOU KIDS BY SAYING A FEW MAGIC WORDS...

--TRANSFORMING YOU BACK INTO WHAT YOU REALLY ARE! HANG ON, NOW!
DEUS EX MACHINA!!

HEY! IT WORKED! WE'RE ALL BACK TO NORMAL!
WE'VE ALL BECOME NORMAL, HAPPY CHILDREN AGAIN!
YAAY!!
YES, WE'RE ALL—!
NO, WAIT A MINUTE! LOOK AT GESUNDHEIT. SHE'S CHANGED, ALL RIGHT, BUT SHE HASN'T CHANGED INTO WHAT SHE REALLY IS--

OH YES SHE HAS!!
OINK!
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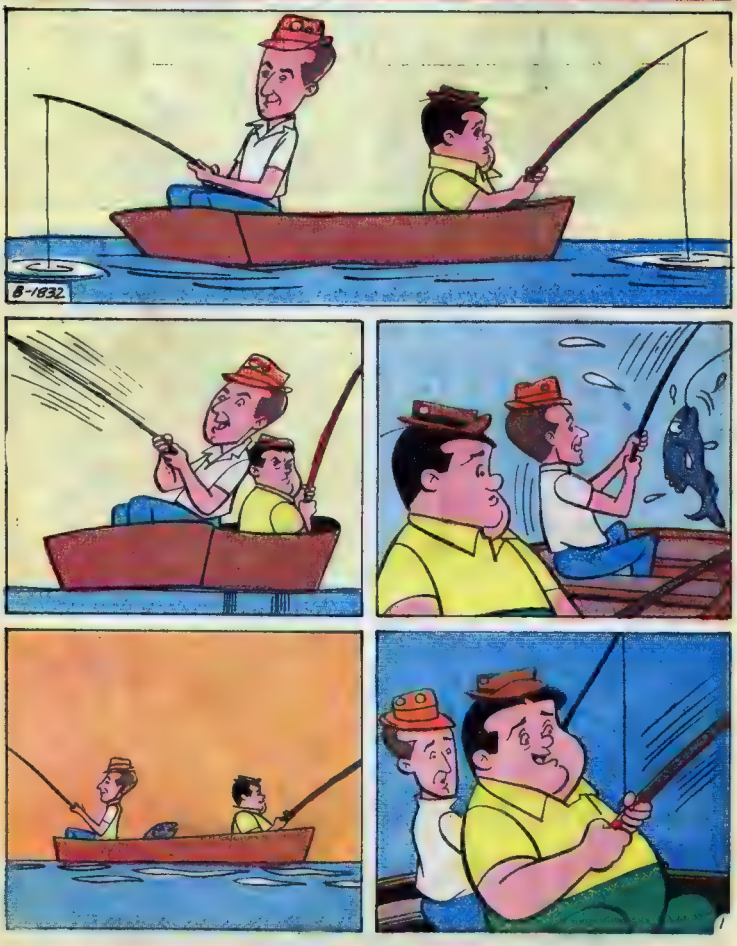
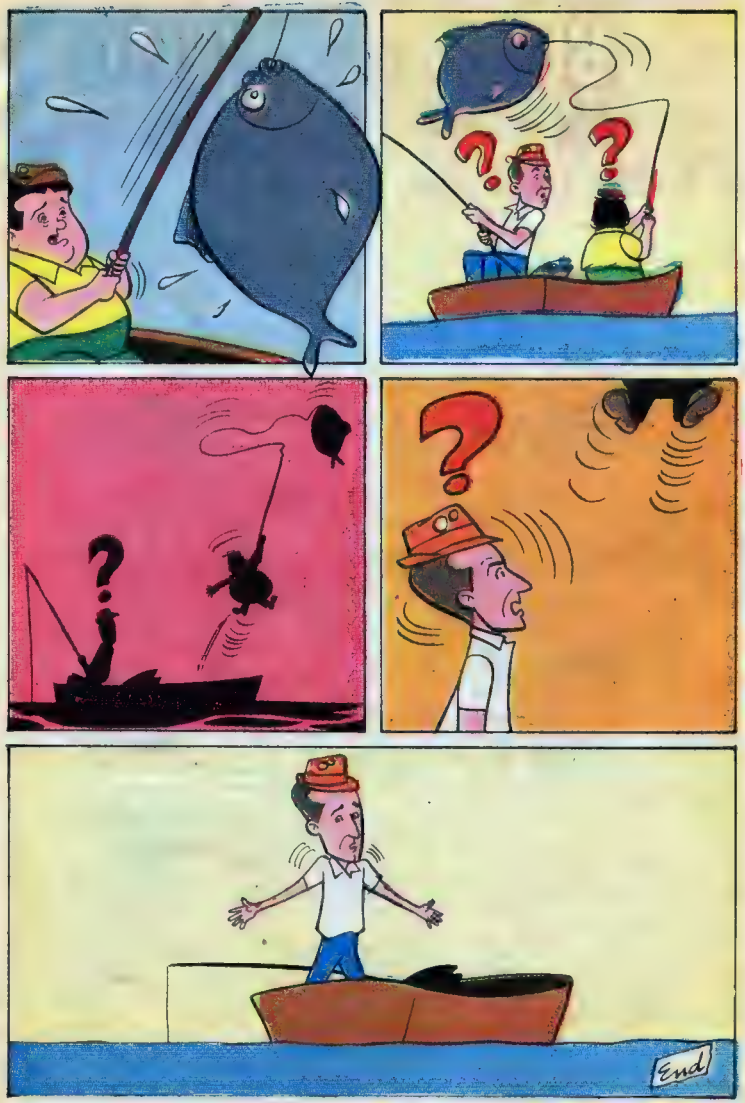
ANOTHER DAY, ANOTHER CATCH!

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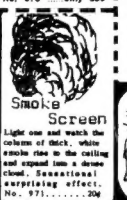

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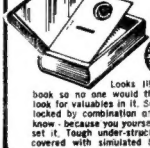

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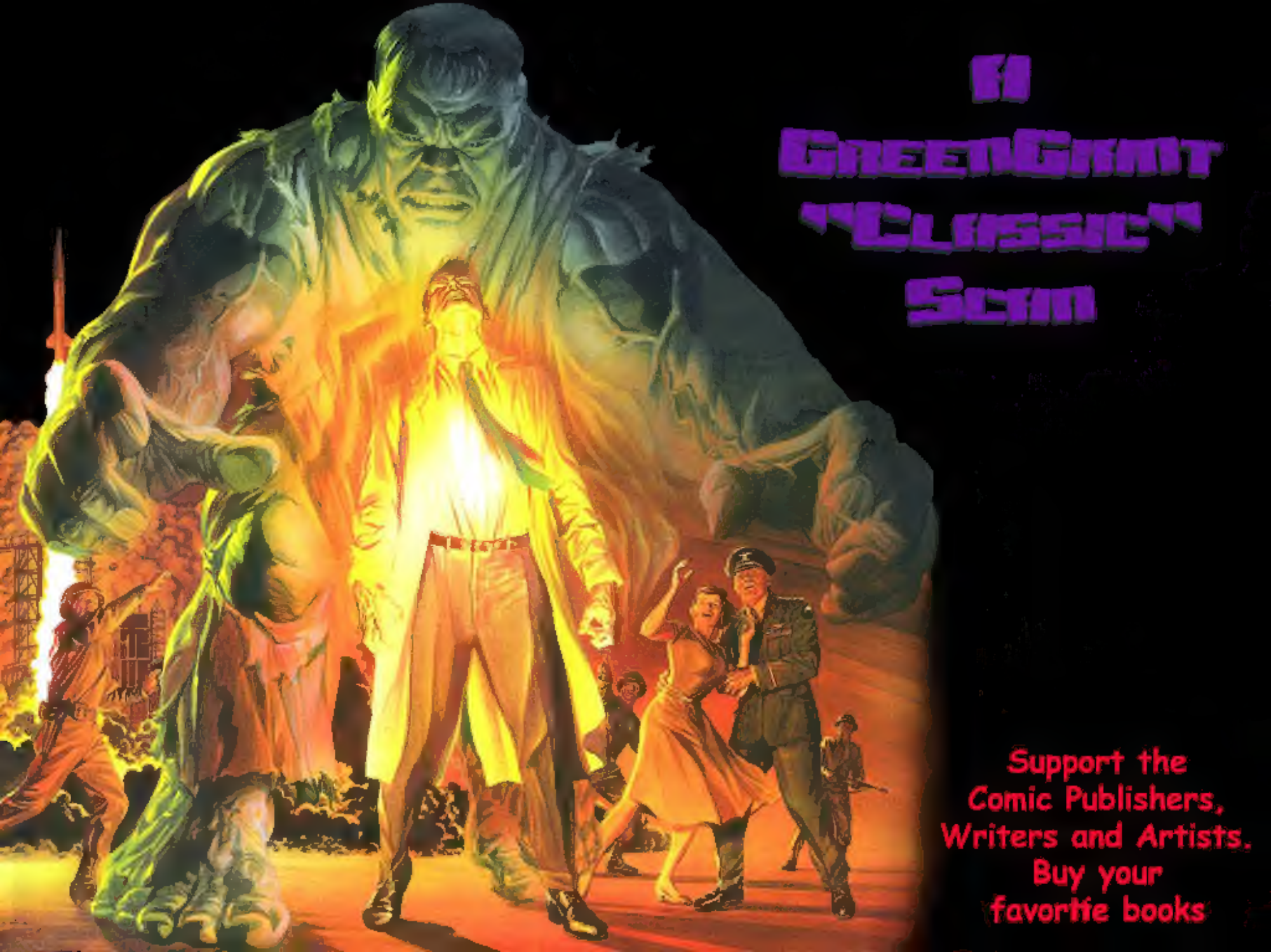
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